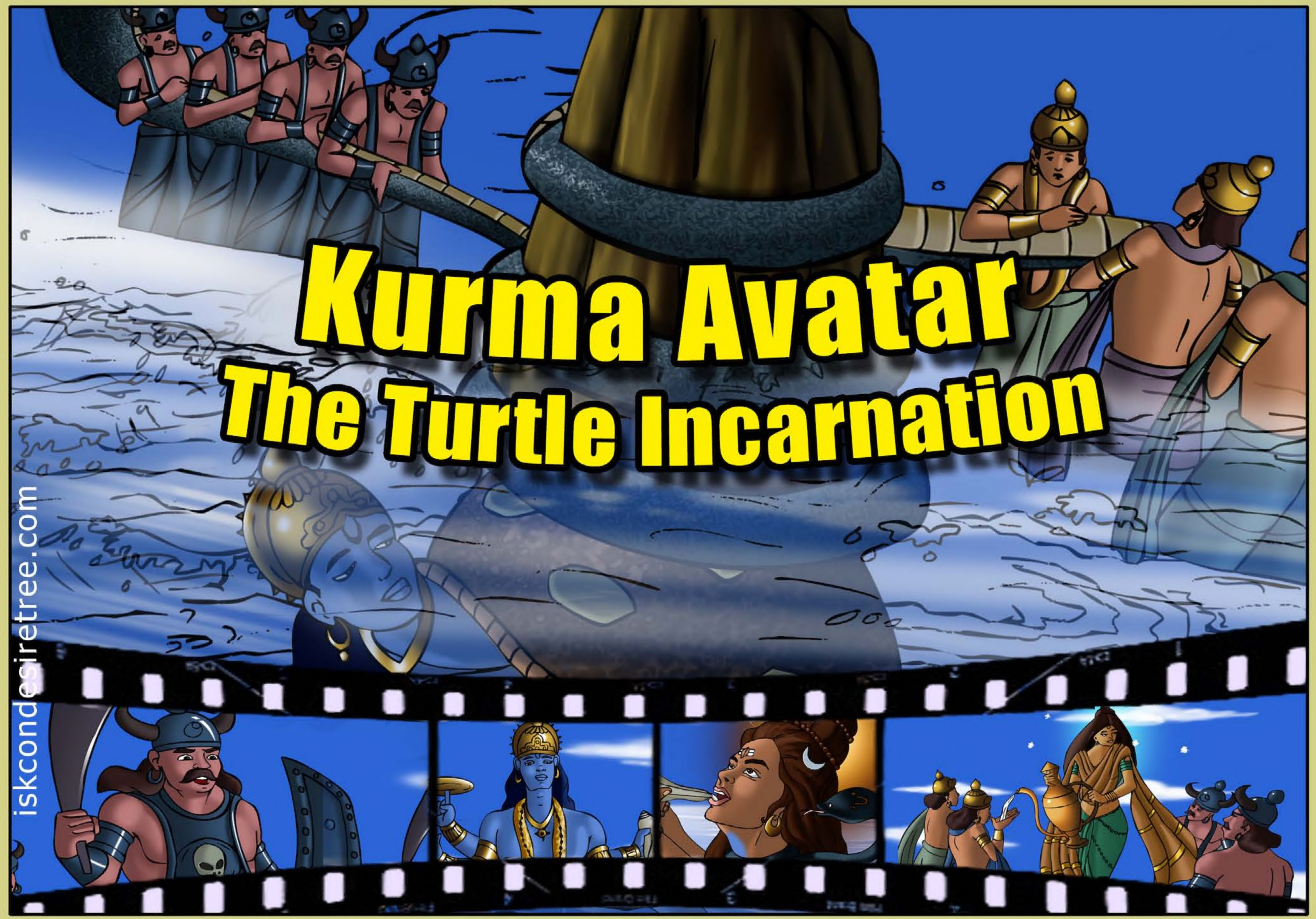
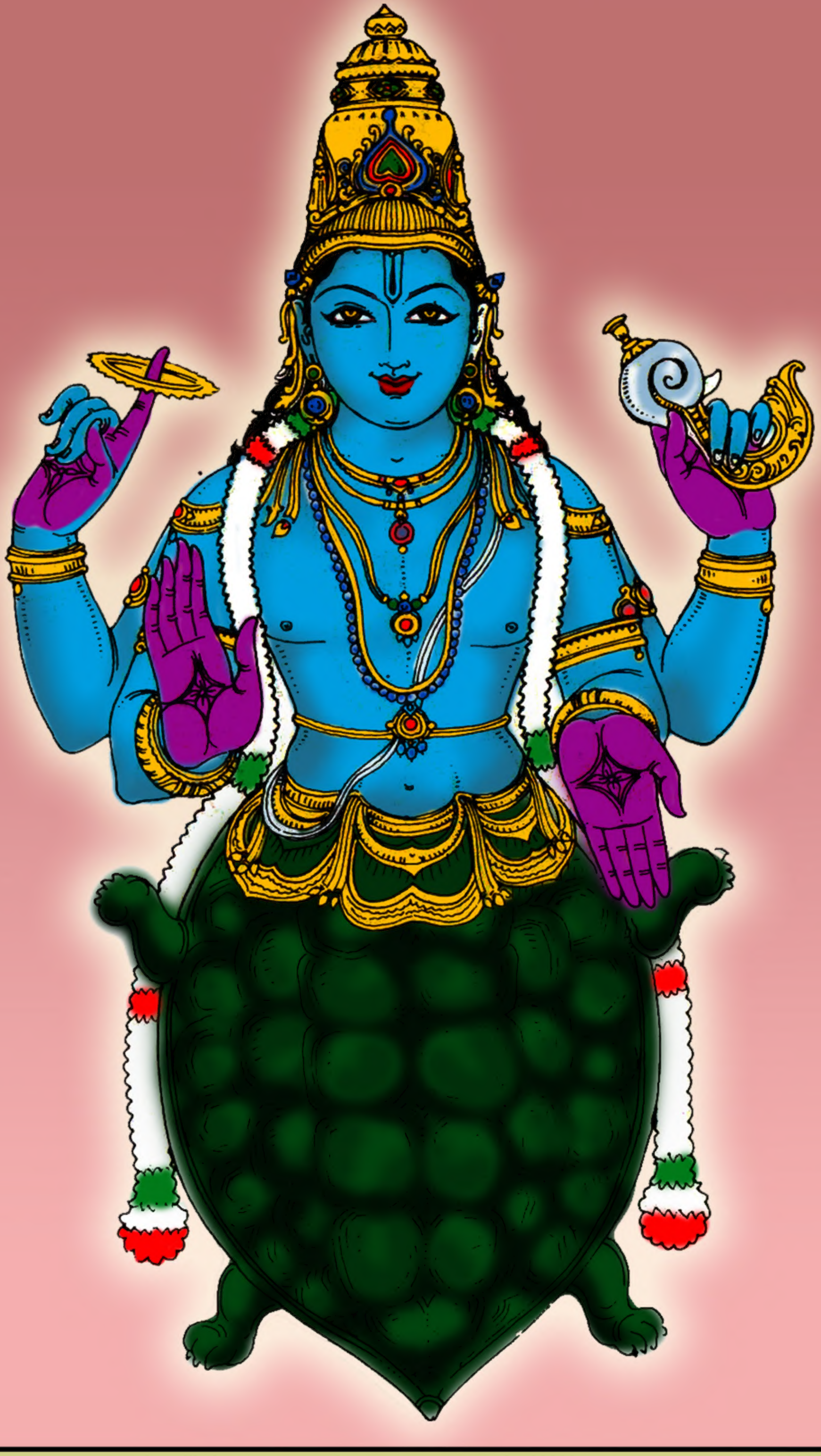
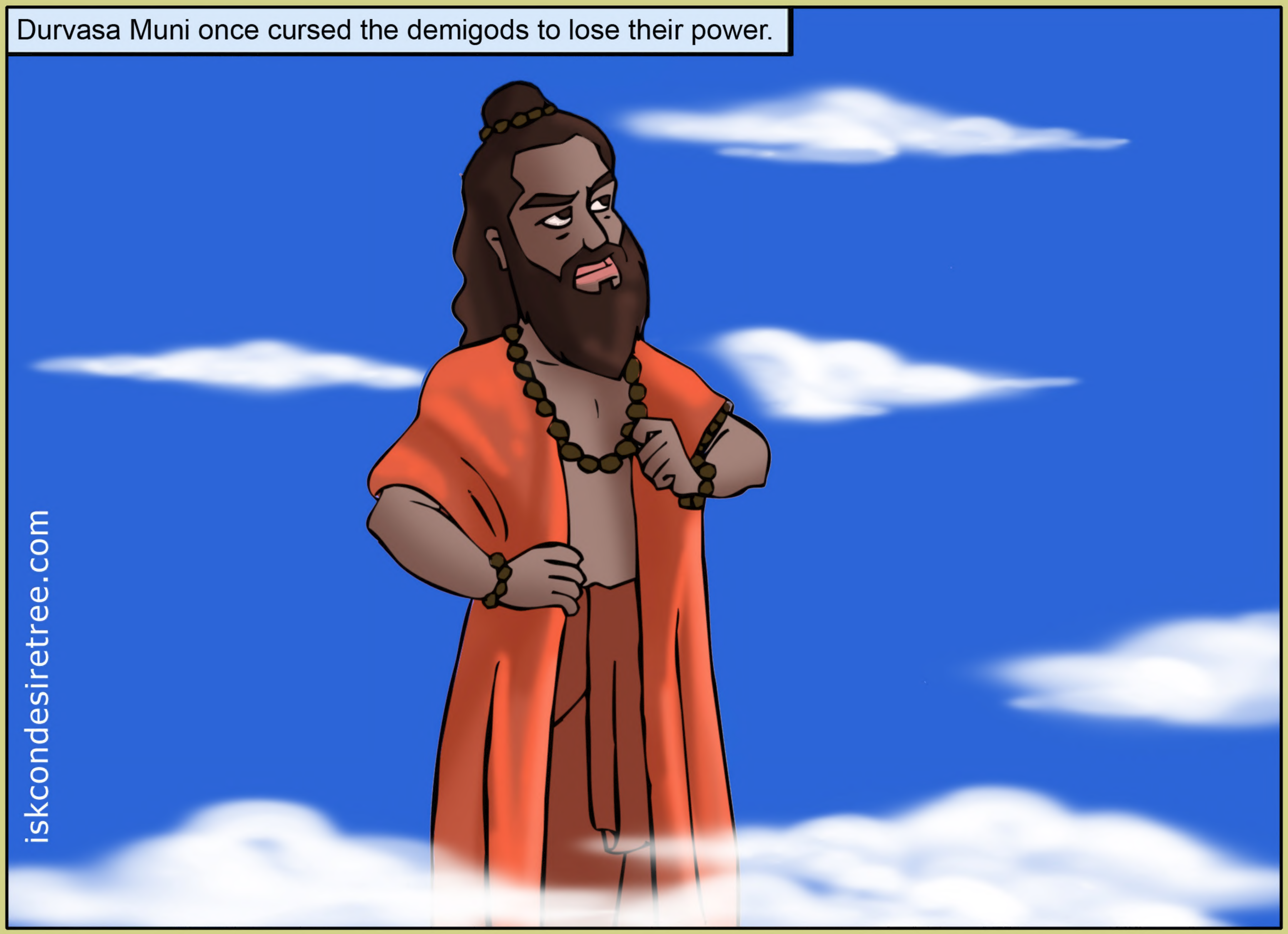
Kurma Avatar
The Turtle Incarnation

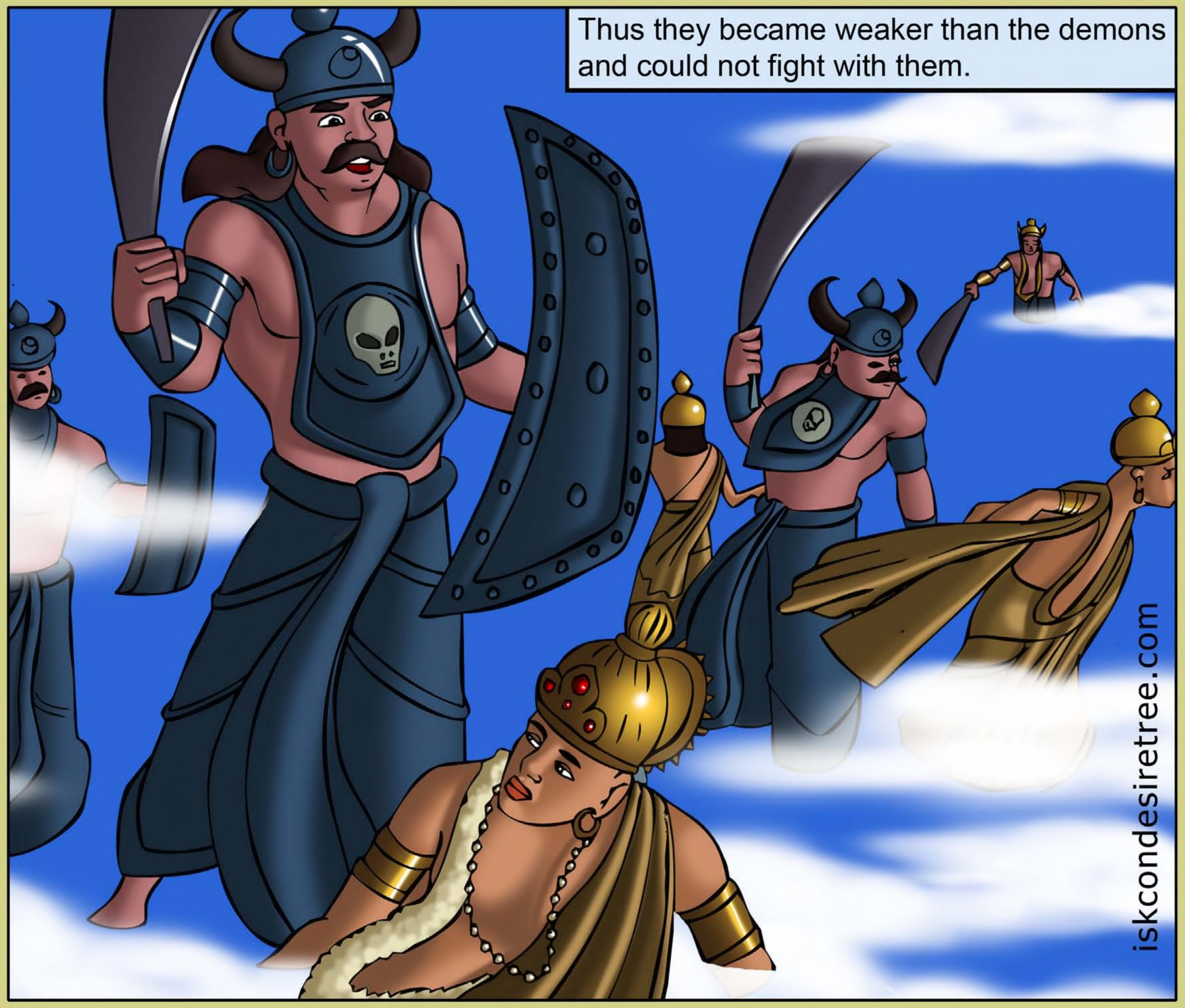


Kurma Avatar is the 2nd amongst the Dashavatar.

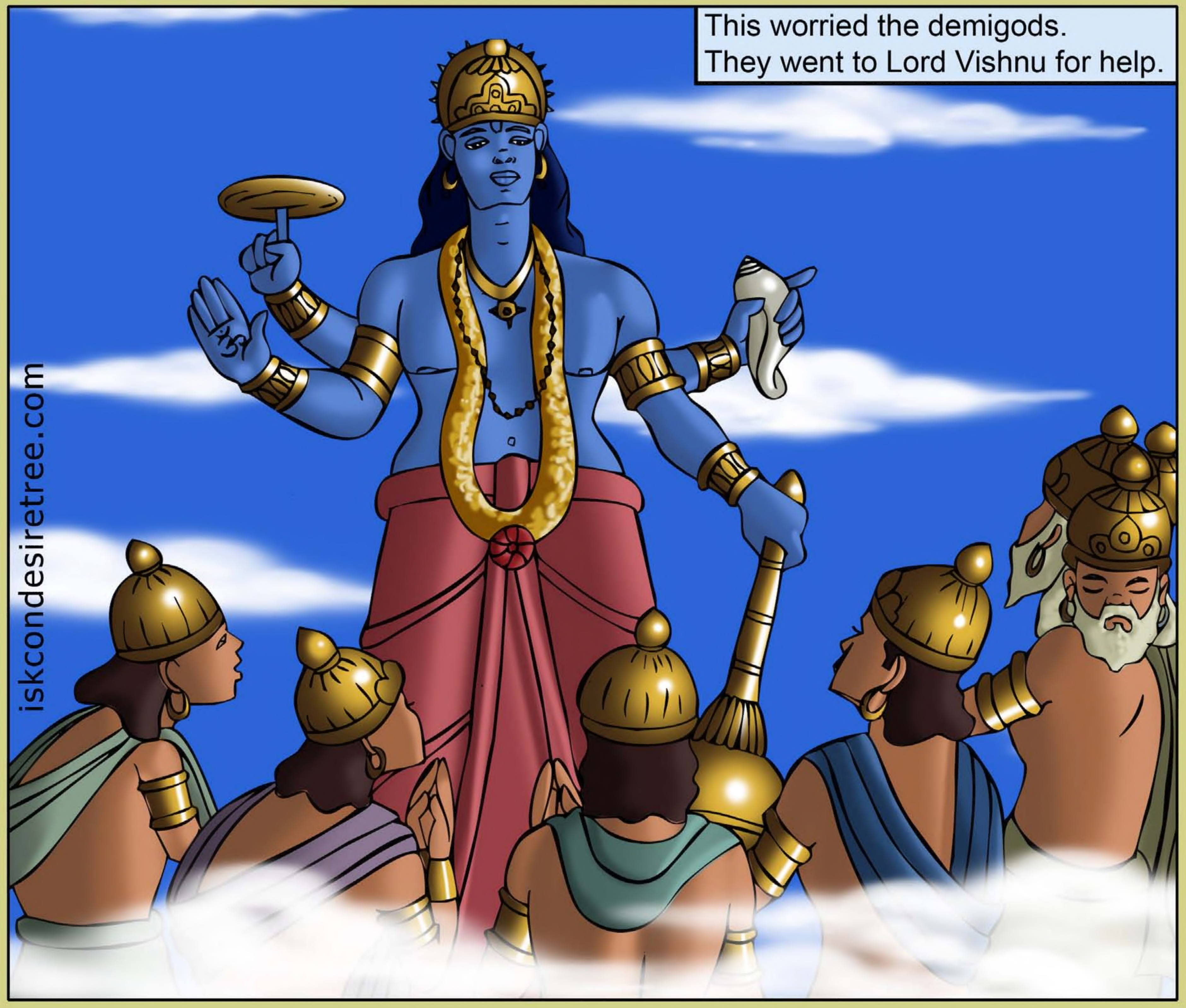


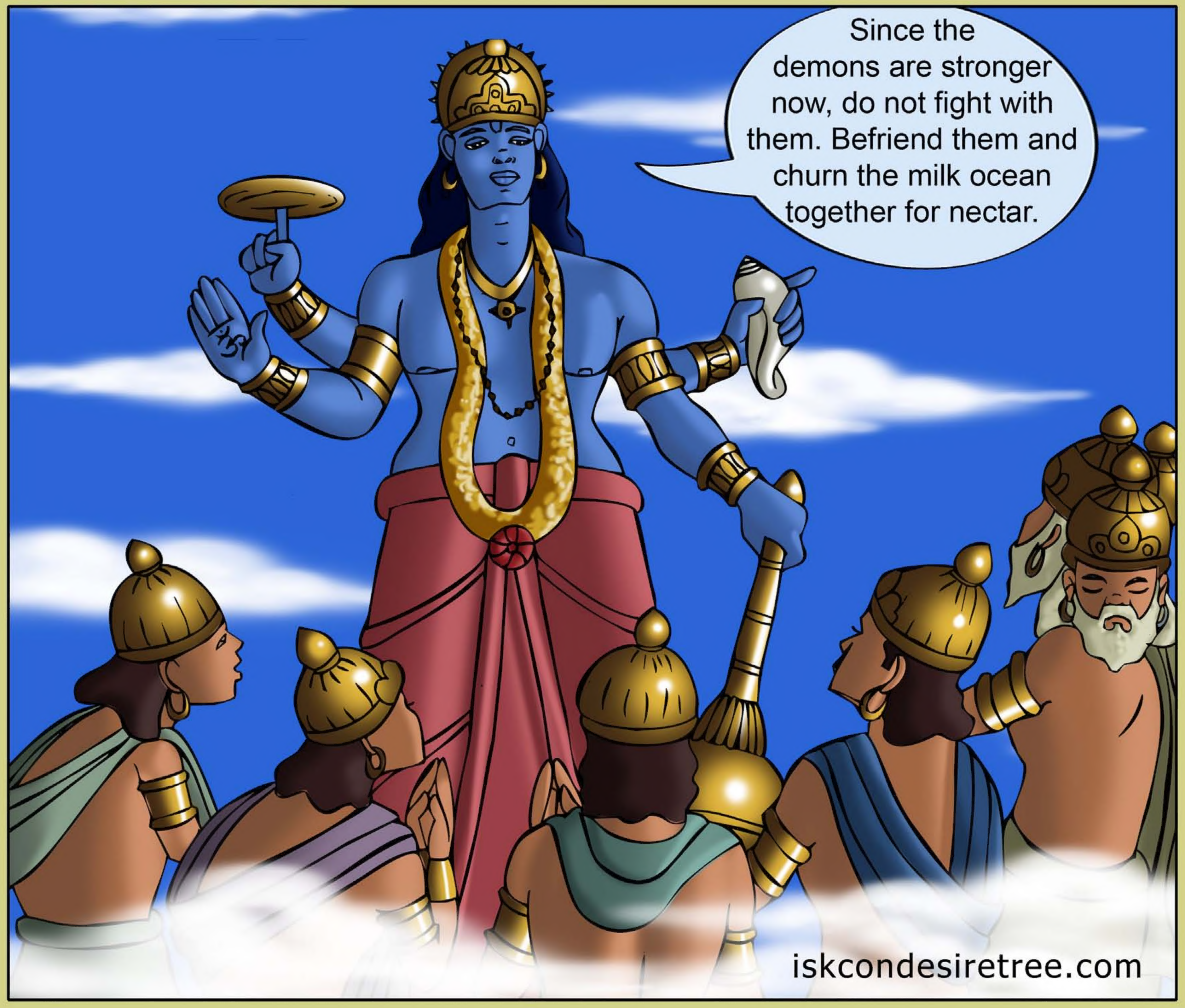
Durvasa Muni once cursed the demigods to lose their power.

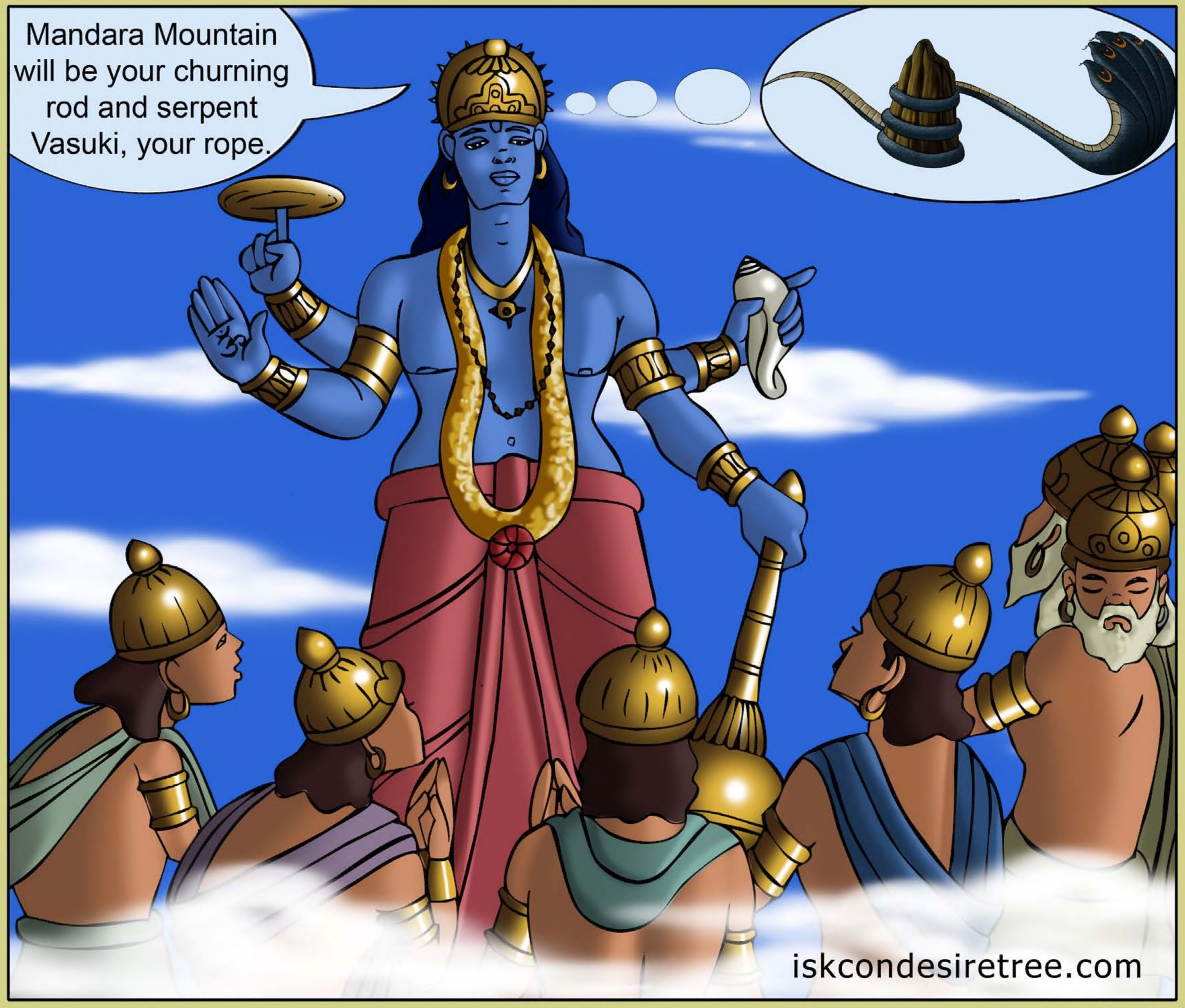


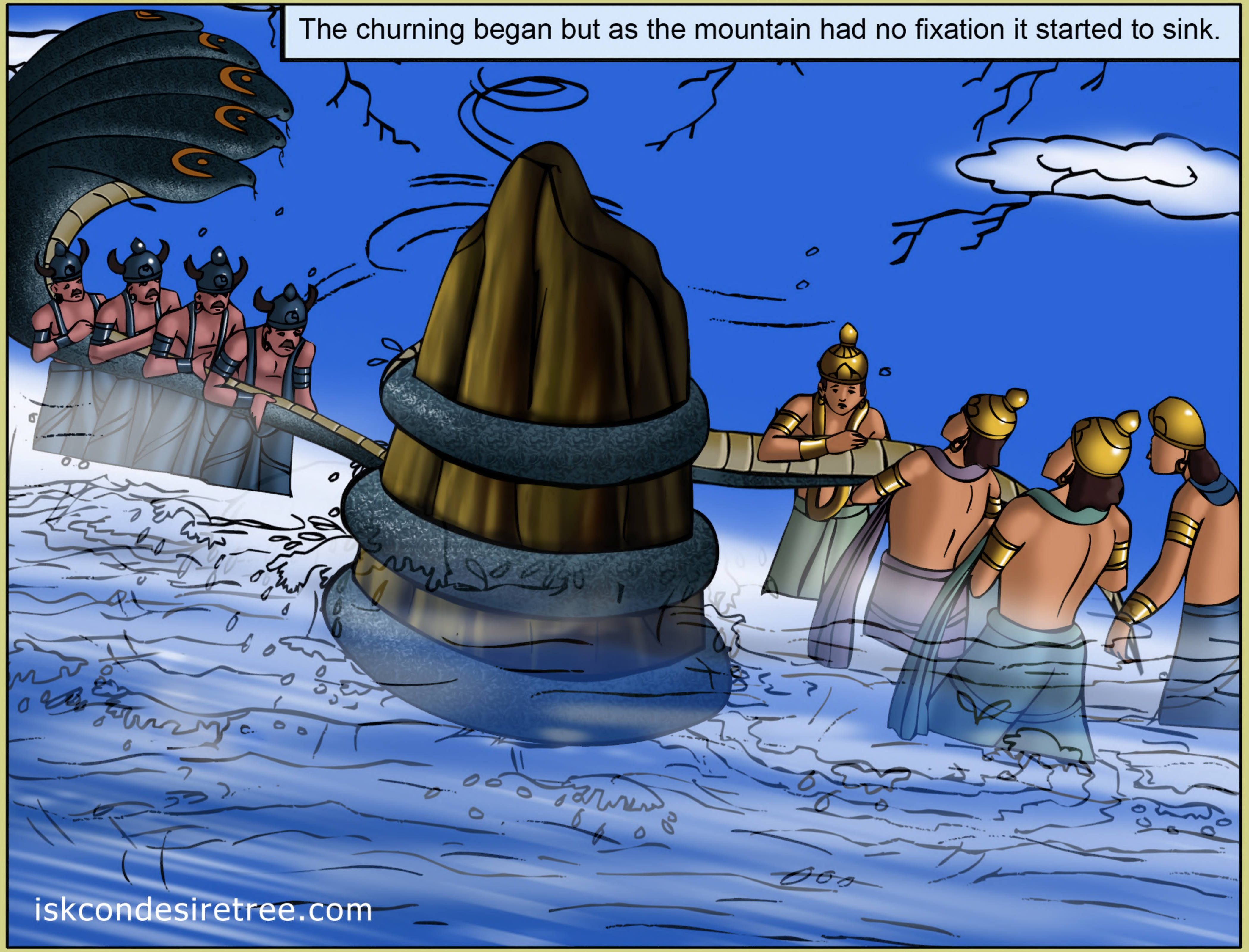


Thus they became weaker than the demons and could not fight with them.

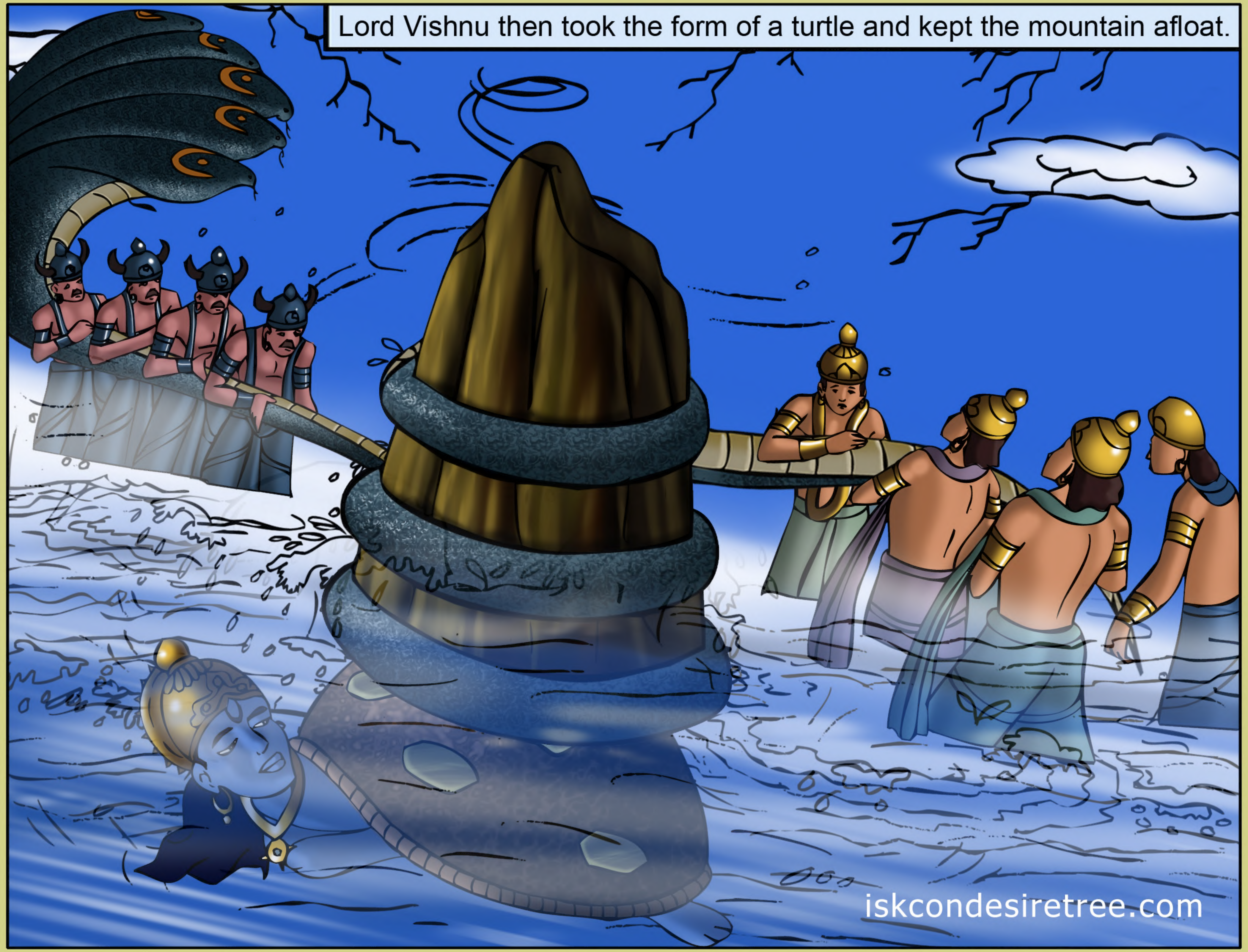

This worried the demigods.
They went to Lord Vishnu for help.


Since the demons are stronger now, do not fight with them. Befriend them and churn the milk ocean together for nectar.


Mandara Mountain will be your churning rod and serpent Vasuki, your rope.

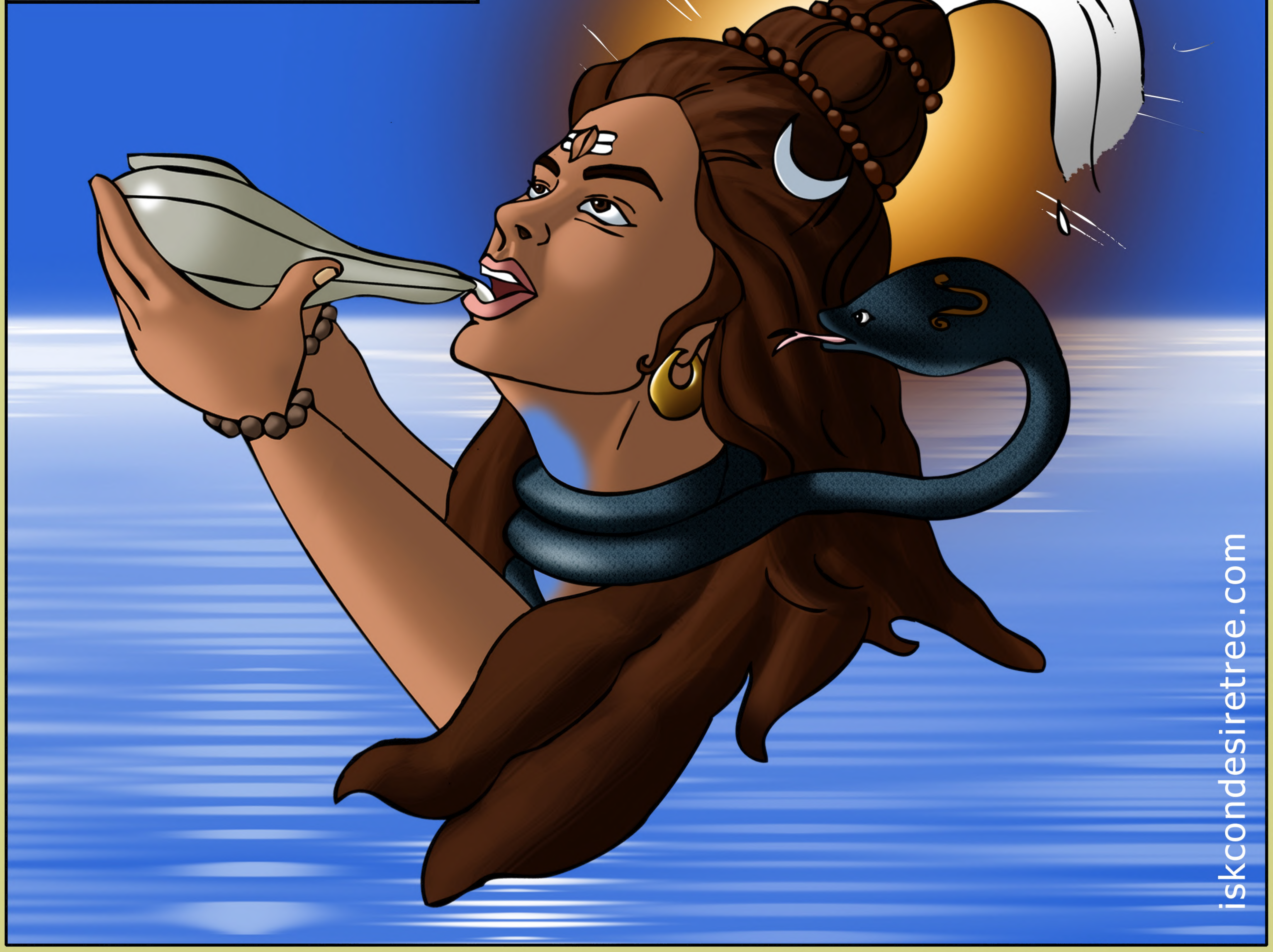


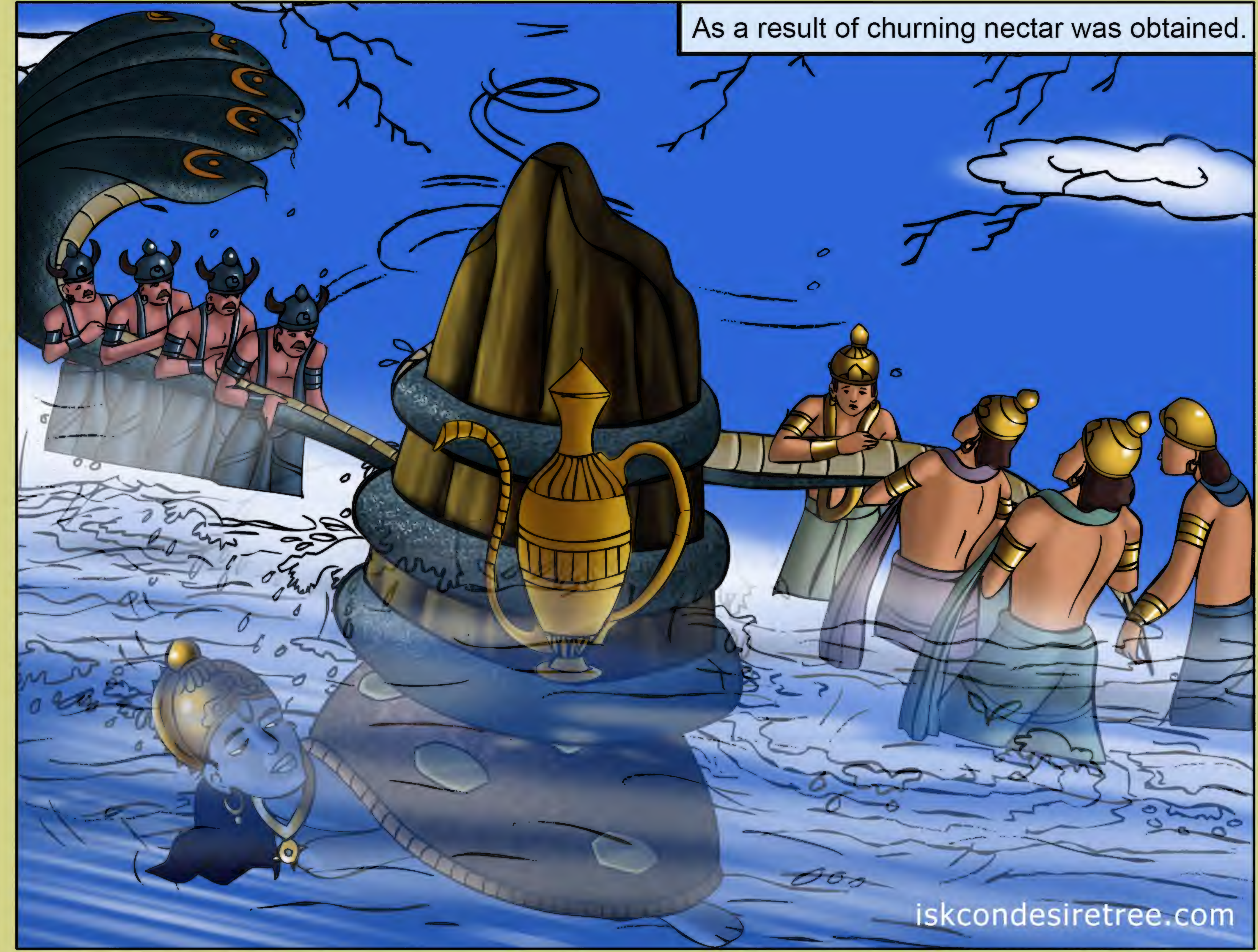
The churning began but as the mountain had no fixation it started to sink.



Lord Vishnu then took the form of a turtle and kept the mountain afloat.

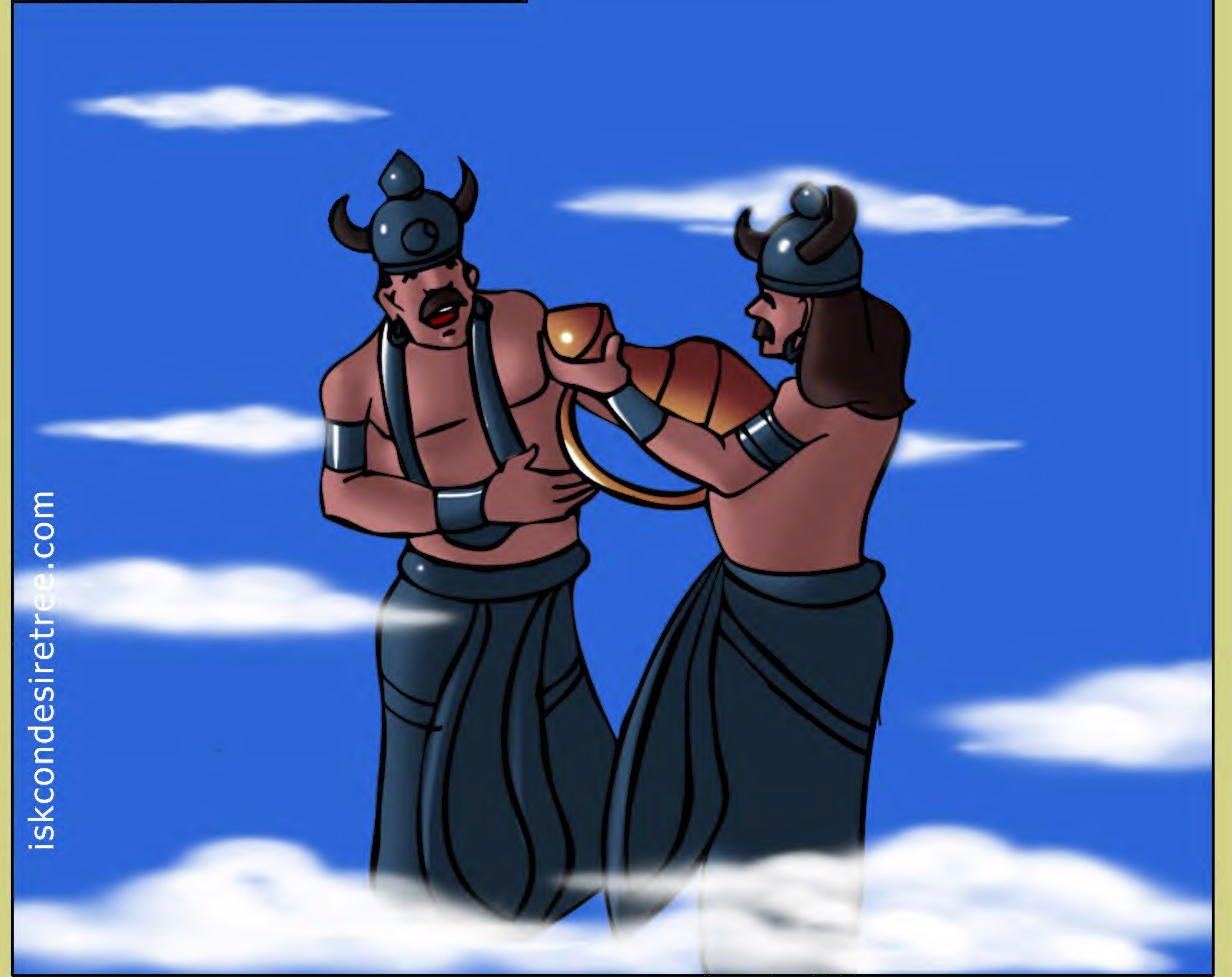
From the churning, poison was produced. Lord Shiva took the ocean of poison and drank it.



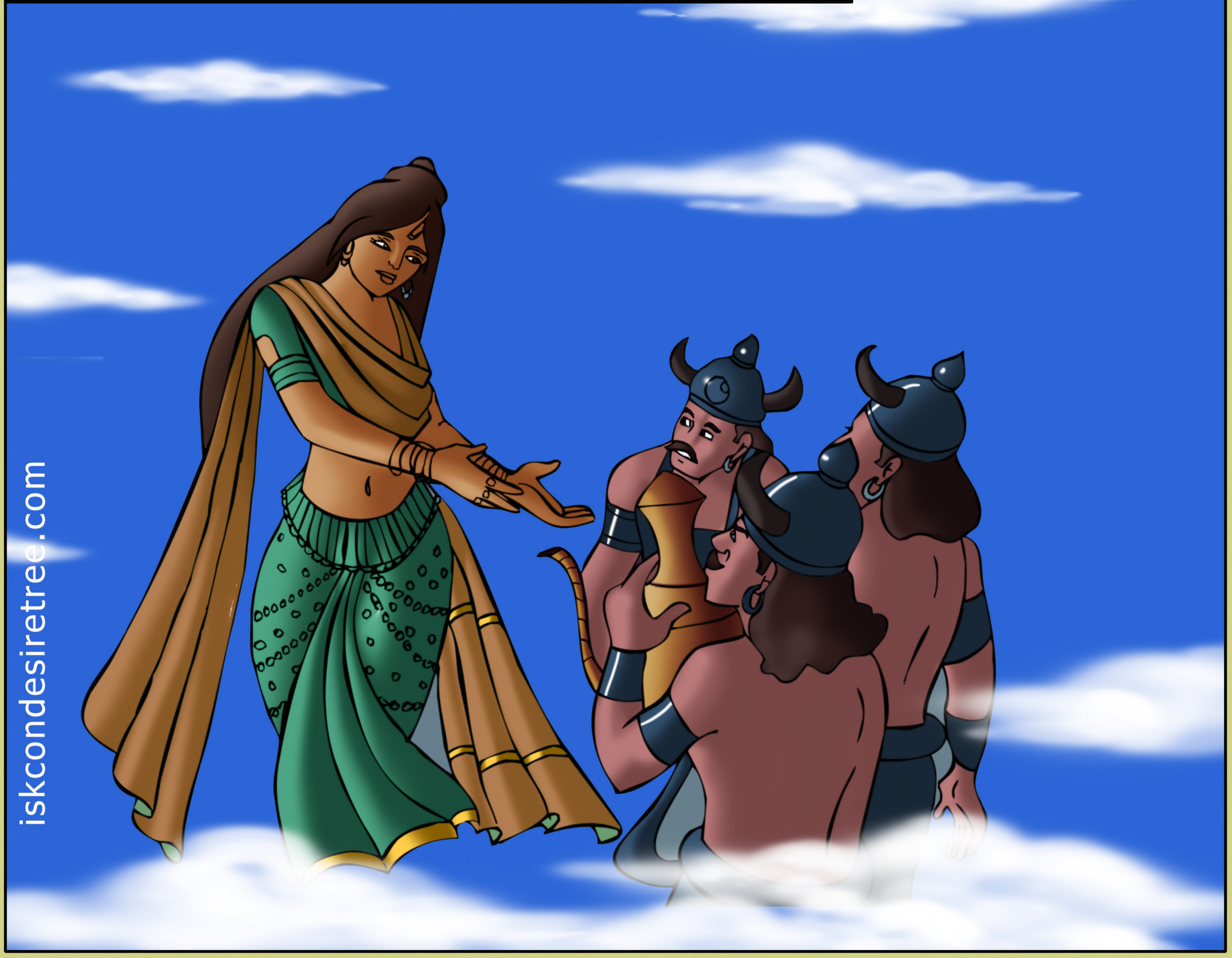


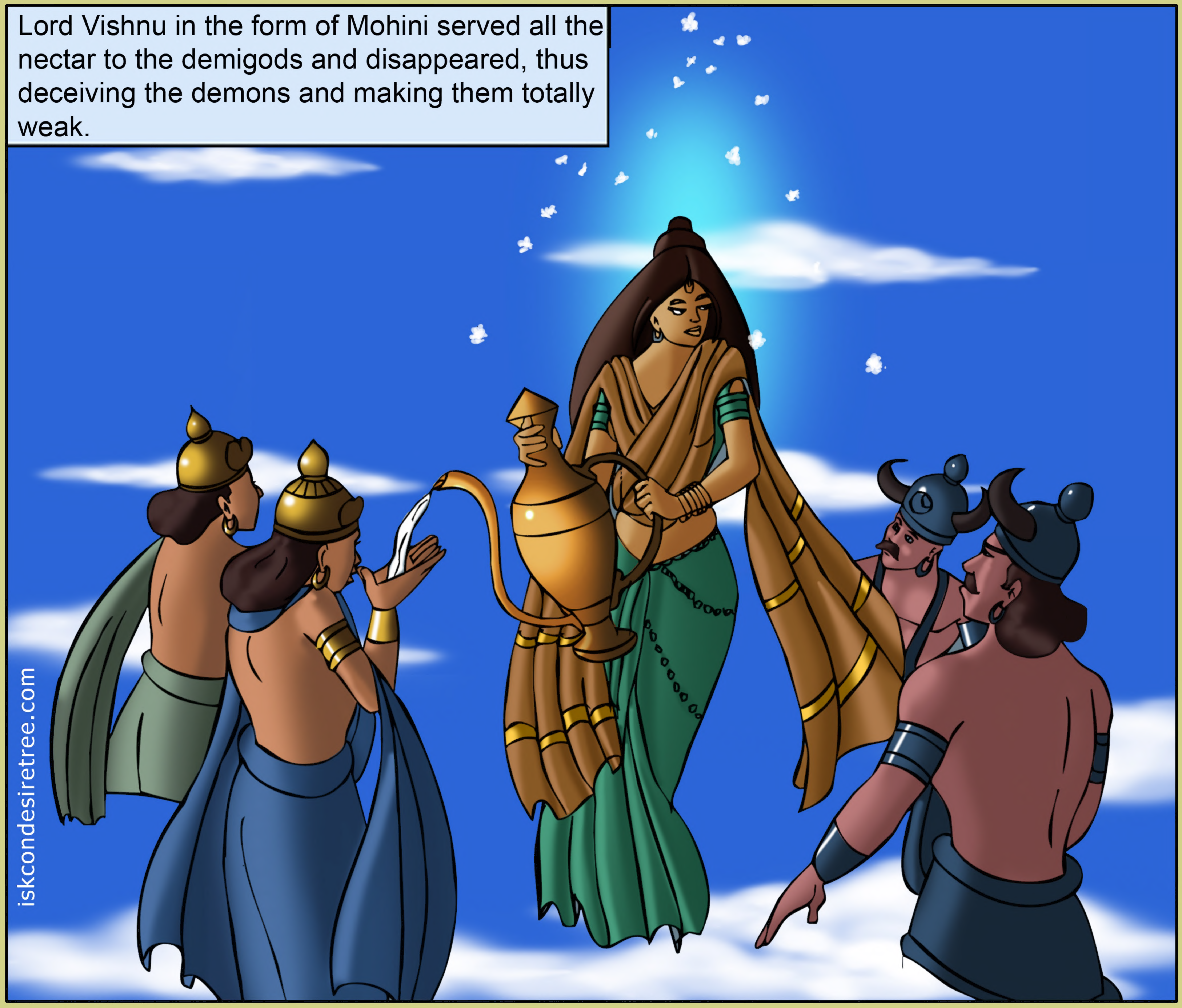
As a result of churning nectar was obtained.

The demons immediately grabbed it.



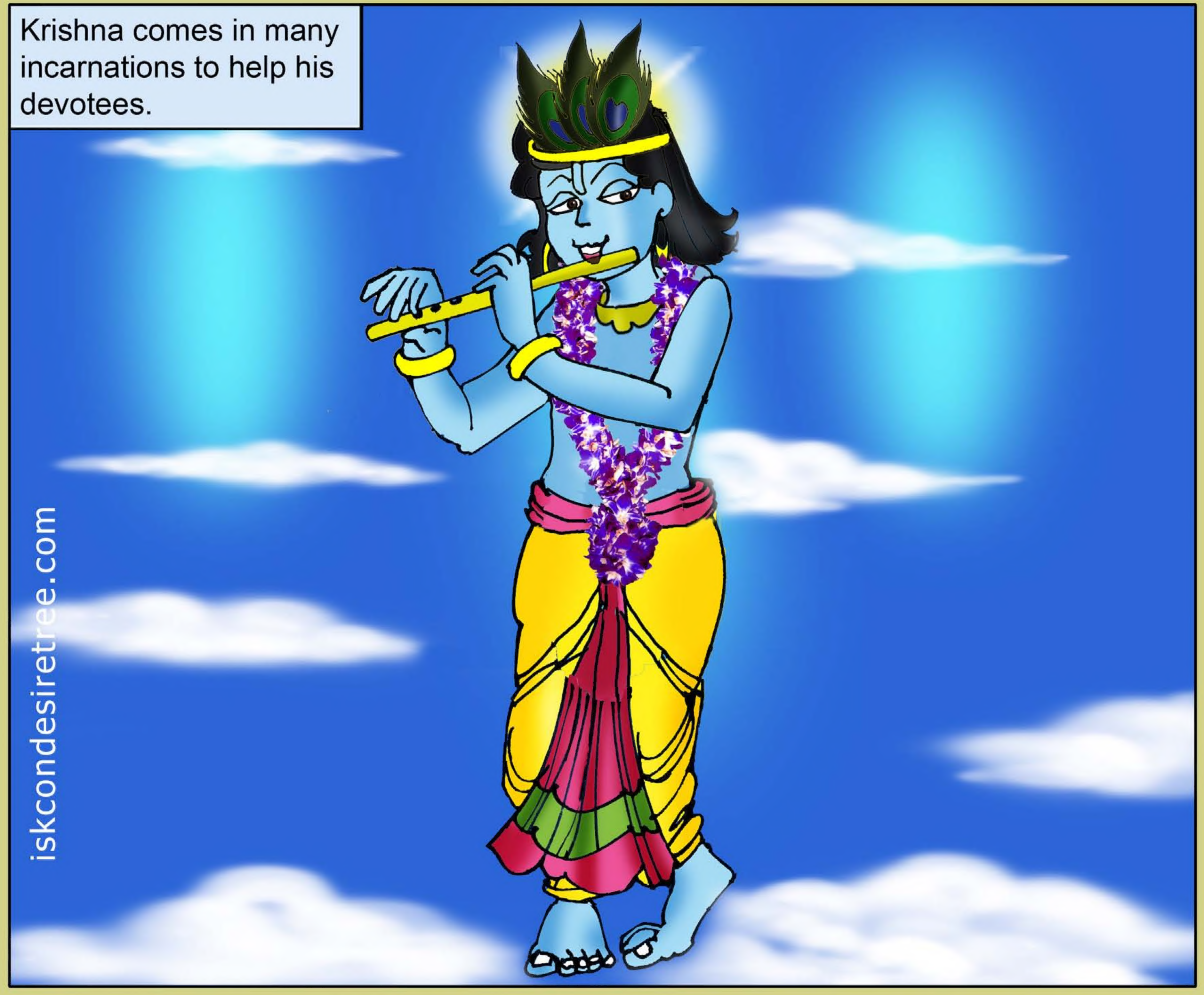
Then Lord Vishnu took the form of an Apsara, Mohini, and seduced the demons into letting her distribute the nectar.





Lord Vishnu in the form of Mohini served all the nectar to the demigods and disappeared, thus deceiving the demons and making them totally weak.

Krishna comes in many incarnations to help his devotees.



!!! Kurma Avatar Ki Jai !!!

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